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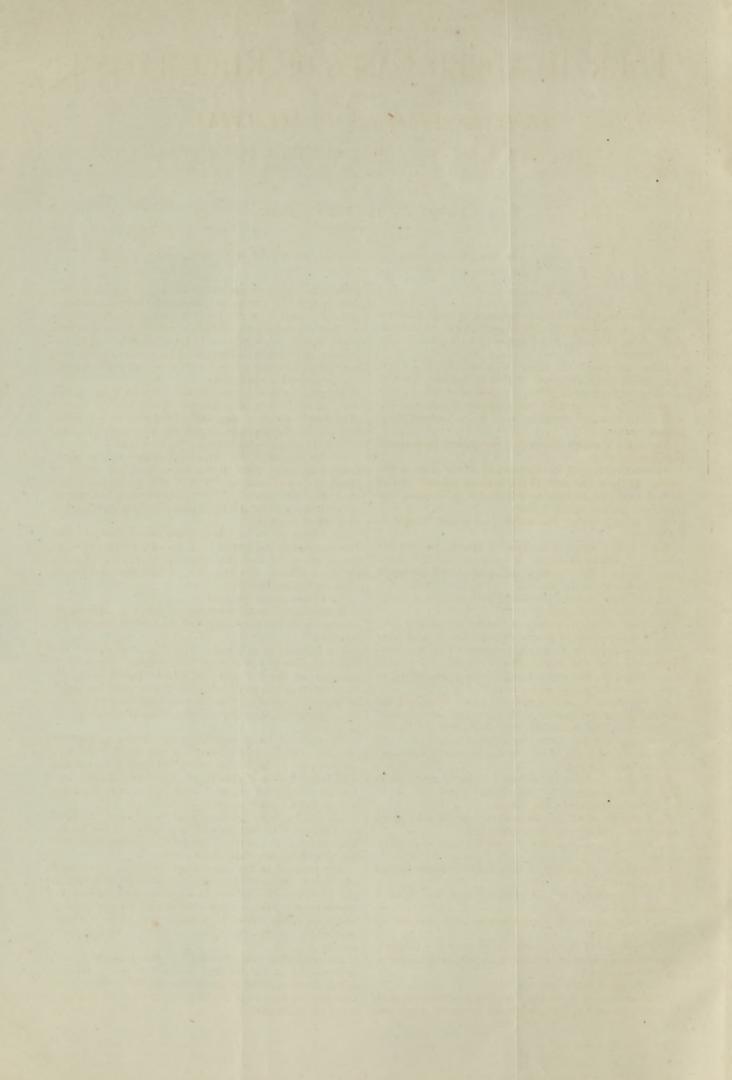
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INTRODUCTION.

THE following pages present statistics, derived from the study of the histories of four hundred cases of rheumatism, acute, subacute, and chronic, treated at the Roosevelt Hospital.

These are unselected cases: they are, in fact, all the cases which have occurred at this institution, from its opening, to September, 1882, a period of over ten years.

Muscular, gonorrheal, and syphilitic rheumatism, as well as rheumatoid arthritis, have been omitted from consideration.

The order in which the various items have been classified is as follows:

An enumeration of the histories of all the cases is first given. In these histories, all the items of interest, and all those relating to, or forming a basis for subsequent statistics are given. Then follow:

A. Tables showing the number of cases treated in each year.

B-F. The relative frequency of attacks in different months; a, dating from time of entrance into the hospital; b, dating from commencement of attack, as learnt from the history of the patient.

G. The maximum temperatures and condition in which

patients were discharged.

H. The relative frequency of attacks at different ages. K. The duration of joint-symptoms before and after entering hospital, of the pyrexia, together with the treatment employed and the condition in which the patient was discharged, the cases being grouped, according to the maximum temperature reached.

I. The same, in which only the cases which left the hospital cured are given; here the cases are grouped according to the treatment employed, and subdivided according to the maximum temperature reached.

M. N. Comparison of the results obtained by different methods of treatment.

O. Unpleasant effects produced by the various drugs used in the treatment—"salicylism," "iodism," etc.—their relative frequency and nature.

P. Comparison of the efficiency of salicylic acid, given in capsules and in solution, respectively.

Q. Nature and frequency of complications of rheumatism.

R. Relative frequency of the cardiac valvular lesions in rheumatism.

S. Relative frequency of association of two or more cardiac lesions.

T. Liability to heart complications from rheumatism at different ages.

U. Relation of the occurrence of cardiac complications to the severity of the attack, as judged by the maximum temperature.

W. Frequency of relapses.

Explanation of Remedies and Doses.—Salicylic acid, from the time when first used until February, 1879, was

administered in solution; after this date in capsules. The dose in which it was given, unless otherwise mentioned, was ten grains every two hours at first, gradually increasing the intervals of its administration to three and four hours, and then giving it only three times a day, as the pyrexia and joint symptoms subsided; its use being persevered in, however (gr. x. t.i.d.), for some time after the symptoms had disappeared.

The dose of Rochelle salt was one drachm three times a day; of the iodide of potassium it was ten to twenty grains three times a day, and of the wine of colchicum and iodide of potassium it was ten to twenty grains of each three times a day, unless otherwise stated.

In the report of the treatment, when two or more drugs have been used at the same time, the names of these are connected by "and." When one drug was used after the other had been discontinued, the names of the two are separated by a period. This also applies to external remedies.

No abbreviations have been made use of, excepting the employment of the letters C, I, and U, which represent cured, improved, and unimproved, respectively, referring to the condition in which the patient was discharged from, or left the hospital.

All temperatures are axillary.

Unless stated to the contrary, all heart complications already existed at the time when the patient entered the hospital.

Much has been said and written against statistics, and this prejudice is not without foundation. Our medical journals are flooded with deductions based upon the observation of too small a number of cases, and are apt to be biassed by the fact that the writer very often compiles his statistics to favor his version of facts remaining to be proven.

No one will claim perfection for statistics, however complete they may be; but when the number of cases drawn from is large, and the writer does not start out with the intention of proving or disproving any one version or opinion of disputed matters, no such great objection can be made to such statistics.

All that has been attempted in these pages has been to state facts as they were found in the records of the hospital, and to compare and tabulate these facts, and very few deductions have been made.

The histories of the cases employed were taken by a number of different observers, all properly qualified, as the high standard of the competitive examination for appointment to the resident staff of this hospital proves, and the histories having been taken thus, by such a large number of persons, the chance of their being biassed is absent.

In concluding this introduction, the writer wishes to acknowledge his indebtedness to Dr. William H. Draper, of the attending staff of the Roosevelt Hospital, for his kind permission to use the hospital records for the purposes of this thesis.

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Relapses.	Treatment	Salicylic acid			Salicylic acid	Sal. acid. Sodæ bi- carb. Quinine. Cautery.	salt, Sod, bicarb.	and c. Guaiac; cautery. Salicylic acid.	Iodine locally.	Salicylic acid and iodine locally.	Salicylic acid. Potassium citras.		
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This completes the enumeration of

TABLE A, showing number of cases treated in each year.

Year.			No. of cases.
1872			17
1873			48
1874			48
1875			32
1876			24
1877			25
1878			22
1879			49
1880			30
1881			46
1882 (eig	ht months)		59
Total.			400

Tables Showing Frequency of Attacks in Different Months.

TABLE B .- Dating from time of entrance into hospital.

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January	I	1 6	7	£3	0	2	5		3 7	2	8	35
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March		1	4	4	3 2	I		7			4	32
April	1	4	5	4	2	3		9	2	2	10	49
May	3	2	4	3	4	36	110	7		8	9	44
June	2	3	5	5	2	6	4	2		4	7	40
July	3	5	5	2	7		2	2	5	4	10	45
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November	1	9	I E		2	3	. 6	2	2	3		29
December	1	8	8,	3	2	4	4	6	3	4		43
Total by years.	17	48	48	32	24	25	22	49	30	46	59	400

TABLE C.—Dating from time of commencement of joint symptoms, as learnt from history of patient.

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September	3 2 3	1 4 6 5	3 6 5	1 2 1 4	1	3 1 3 2	2 8 2	4 2 6	3 2 2	2 4 4		15 24 35 36
Total by years.	21	38	51	32	1 /	22	22	46	27	48	56	382

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Tables Showing Average Number of Cases in each Month.

TABLE D, derived from TABLE B.

Total.	Years.	Average.	Total. Years.		Average.
January	: :: =	3.181 cases.	July 45: 11	=	4.00 cases
February 36			August 17 : 11	=	1.545 4
March 32	: 11 =	2 1 1 1 11	September, 11: 10	=	I. I 44
April 42	: :: =	3.817 "	October 26 : 10	-	2.6
May 44			November, 29: 10	=	2.0
June 40			December, 43: 10		4-3
Total			400 : 10%	==	37.5 " Dr. VI

TABLE E, derived from TABLE C.

				Total.		
January	. 39	: 11 =	3.545 cases.	July 29	: :: =	2.635 cases.
February	33	: :: =	3. "	August 18	: II II	1.73.
March	37	: :: =	3.354 "	September, 15	: 10	
April	42	: 11 =	3.818 "	October 24	: 10 =	2.4
May				November . 35	: 10 =	3.5
Tune				December . 26	: 10 -	: 26 11

By consulting Tables B and D, it would appear that the greatest number of cases occurred in December, July, and May; but these tables are based on the time of entrance of the cases into the hospital. And since the disease had often lasted some time before the patient sought the hospital, a more correct idea of the relative frequency of

cases of rheumatism in different months of the year is given in Tables C and E. In these the comparison is based on the commencement of the joint symptoms, as

learnt from the history of the patient.

From these tables it appears that the greatest average number of cases occurred in May and April, the months in which the weather is very changeable, and often inclement, and notably unfavorable for persons subject to attacks of rheumatism.

In August and September the minimum number of cases occurred, while the average number increased from the latter month to November, when it continued about the same until April, when the maximum number occurred.

Comparing the average number of cases for each of the four summer months with that for each of the remaining months of the year, we get the ratio of 2.124 to 3.402, or approximately 3 to 5. This is arrived at as follows:

TABLE F.—Comparison of average number of cases during summer months and rest of year.

	Average as per Table E.		Average as per Table E.
June July August September	2.727 2.635 1.635 1.5	October November December January February March April	2.4 3.5 3.6 3.545 3.354 3.818
	8.497		27.217
8.497 in four months;	average, 2.124.	27.217 in eight months	; average, 3.402.

Distinction of variety of attack.—The classification of attacks of rheumatism into acute, subacute, and chronic is often very difficult, since they run from one into the other form gradually.

In these pages the distinction has been based on the

temperature, the readiness with which the attack responded to treatment, or, on the other hand, its obstinacy, and in the third place the duration of the attack. But in many cases the distinction between the three different forms, especially between the subacute and chronic, was somewhat forced, since they merged so imperceptibly from one into the other form.

TABLE G.—Showing temperatures, variety of the attacks, condition when discharged, and the mortality and causes

	(Cured		Im	prov	ed.	Uni	mpro	ved.	1	Died.		
Maximum temperature (axillary).	Acute.	Subacute.	Chronic.	Acute.	Subacute.	Chronic.	Acute.	Subacute.	Chronic.	Acute.	Subacute.	Chronic.	Total.
Normal. 99° - 99.5° 99.5°-100° 100° - 100.5° 100.5°-101° 101° - 101.5° 102.5°-103° 103.5°-104° 104° - 104.5° 104.5°-107.2°	39 10 10 20 13 24 17 18 14 12 11	72 2 I 			52 1 2 H I	23			2	16 10 10	1 a		192 14 15 30 18 31 18 26 20 13 12 7
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a. Autopsy showed hypertrophy of right ventricle; hypertrophy and dilatation of left ventricle; aortic insufficiency; atheromatous mitral valve; chronic Bright's (atrophied kidney).

b. Autopsy showed atheromatous base, aortic and mitral valve; embolism of left middle cerebral; softening of brain; acute meningitis.

c. Bright's; suppression of urine.

d. Autopsy showed kidneys large; vegetations on mitral valve; base of aortic atheromatous.

e. Pericarditis; endocarditis; double pneumonia.

Acute cases					
Subacute cases.	 	 	 	 	134
Chronic cases	 	 	 	 	27
Total	 	 	 	 	400

NORMAL TEMPERATURE.

TABLE H.—Comparative frequency of attacks at different ages.

			Acut	e.			Subacute.						Chronic.			
Age.	First attack.	, setta	Thir are a.		Total.	I retair k.	7	Thrd k.	I at more	Total.	Lest amack.		Furthatta k	Total,	Total all forms.	
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From the preceding table (H) it appears that the greatest number of acute cases occurred between the ages of fifteen and thirty, and of this period the maximum number occurred between the ages of twenty and twentyfive. Thus the number of acute cases between the ages of fifteen and thirty was 134, leaving only 105 acute cases for all other ages; so that 56 per cent. of all the cases of acute rheumatism occurred between the ages of fifteen and thirty, and one-fourth of all acute cases occurred between the ages of twenty and twenty-five. It is probable that more cases of rheumatism occur in children than the preceding table would seem to indicate, since children are not as likely to be sent to a hospital, when attacked by rheumatism, as adults are to go when similarly affected. On this account the records show few cases occurring before the fifteenth year, although such cases are known to occur with greater frequency than the preceding table shows. In subacute and chronic cases only one case occurred (subacute) before the age of fifteen, and 14 cases between the ages of fifteen and twenty; the greatest number (27) occurring between the ages of thirty and thirty-five, the majority of these (23) being subacute. For any considerable period the greatest number of subacute and chronic cases occurred between the ages of twenty and fifty years.

TABLE K.—Cases arranged according to maximum temperature in each case.

NORMAL TEMPERATURE.

П	D	uration :		Ġis	
Number of case.	Of joint symp- toms before en- tering hospital.	Of joint symptoms after entering hospital.	Of stay in hospital.	Condition when charged.	Treatment.
1 2 3 4 4 6 7 F 0 1 1 1	42 days	Days. 33 17 25 6 34 80 23 33	Days. 33 27 25 0 02 23 33 10 5	I. C. L. C. C. C. L.	Sod. bicarb. Sal. acid and iodine locally. Salicylic acid. Potassium iodide. Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid. Mixed treatment. Salicylic acid. Pot. and colchicum. Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.
11	8 days 2 years 35 days		44 33 15	I. I. I.	Salicylic acid. Iron and nux vomica. Salicylic acid and iodine locally.

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14	7 days	22	94	I. C. C.	Potassium iodide and iodine locally. Salicylic acid.
16	7 days	24	15	C. 1. C.	Salicylic acid.
18	63 days	15	30		Pot. 10d. and colchicum. Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid and iodine locally.
20 21	ı year 20 days	20	20	E.	Blister and iodine. Blister.
22	8 days	30	35 15	i. C. C. U.	Potassium iodide and colchicium. Salie ylic acid. Pot. iod. and colchicium.
24	42 days	16 2	16	L. C.	Pot. and colch. Rochelle salt Salicylic acid.
26 27	ı day	4 7	36	#000000#00000000000000	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid and blister locally.
2,	3 months. 8 days	34	34	C.	Potassium iodide. Salicylic acid.
30	14 days	6 54	6 54	C.	Potassium iodide. Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. and colchicum, and blister
32	35 days	4 2	7 31	Ĉ.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.
33	35 days 56 days	6	32	C.	Salicylic acid.
35 36	21 days	7	16 7	C.	Potassium iodide. Potassium iodide and colchicum.
37 38	28 days	34	34 64	C.	Potassium iodide, and blister and iodine. Salicylic acid.
30 40	3 days	20	315	C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.
41	3 months .	,8 20	38	C.	Potassium iodide and iodine locally. Salicylio acid.
43	21 days	7	20 7	I. C.	Salicylic acid and iodine locally.
45	5 months. 5 days	14	21	C.	Mixed treatment and blister. Salicylic acid.
47	42 days 2 years	15 90	15	C.	Potassium iodide and colchicum. Rochelle salt and iodine locally. Pot
	21 days	19	23		iod. Pot. iod. and colchicum. Pot. iod. and colchicum and iodine
50	60 days	5	16	C. C. I.	Iron and quinine and electricity.
51 52	7 days 3 months.	118	15	I.	Iron and quinine, and blister and elec-
53	36 days	19	10	I. C.	Potassium iodide and iron and quinine.
54 55	o days	3 47	31 51	C. I.	Salicylic acid. Mixed treatment and blister.
56 57	3 days	9	28 4	C.	Potassium iodide and colchicum. Potassium iodide and colchicum.
59	14 days	30	6 34	I. C.	Potassium iodide and colehicum. Rochelle salt. Salicylic acid.
61	35 days 42 days	25 46	29 60	Č.	Potassium iodide and colchicum. Potassium iodide and colchicum.
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64	28 days	07	89	I. C. I. C. C. C. C. C. C. C.	Atropia, Iron and quinine. Pot. ibdide. Rochelle salt. Atropia.
65	35 days		104		Quinine and strychnia. Potassium iodide.
66	4 months	38	38 7	C. U.	Potassium iodide and colchicum.
69	3 months	17	17 86	C. C.	Rochelle salt and hg.; iodine locally. Salicylic acid. Potassium iodide.
70 71	7 days 4 months .	48	48	C. C.	Rochelle salt and iodine locally.
72 73	ı year	8 38	2	C.	Potassium acetate and iron. Sal. acid, and hg. and morph, locally.
74	1⅓ year	3.60	150	I.	Sal. acid, and hg, and morph. locally. Ergot and belladonna. Mercury locally. Potassium and colchicum.
75	4 months	38	40	C.	Rochelle salt and todine locally. Pot.
76	10 days	15	15	I.	Potassium iodide and blisters. Pot. and colch. and iron and quinine.
77	21 days 5 days	27	43 27	I. C. I. C.	Potassium iodide. Pot. iodide and colchicum and blisters.
	28 days	8	25		Rochelle salt. Potassium iodide.
81	28 days	29	20	C. I.	Rochelle salt.
82	4 months 28 days	31	38	I. C.	Potassium iodide and iodine. Potassium iodide.
84	4 months 36 days	33	• 33	I.	Potassium iodide. Pot. iod. and mercury. Rochelle salt.
87	42 days	7	7	I. I.	Rochelle salt. Rochelle salt.
89	o days o months	4	26 4	I. L	Rochelle salt and iron and quinine.
90	28 days 21 days	20	20	I. C.	Rochelle salt. Potassium and colch. Rochelle salt. Potassium and colchicum
91	7 months.			I.	and hot vapor bath. Rochelle salt. Potassium iodide and
92		25	25		colchicum, and hot vapor bath. Pot. iod. and colch. Rochelle salt and
93	5 years	106	1 7	I.	hot vapor bath.
94	8 months	82	82	1.	Iron and quinine, and Rochelle salt and hot vapor bath.
95 96	9 months 36 days	4 4	4 4	I. I.	Iron and quinine. Iron and quinine.
97	18 days 35 days	5 36	10	I. C. C. I.	Atropine. Rochelle salt and iodine locally.
)/ ₁ / ₂	6 months 21 days	10	2.2	I. C.	Rochelle salt and morphine.
101	28 days	107	107	Ĩ.	Rochelle salt and morphine. Pot. iod Roch. salt and iod. locally. Atropine.
	8 days .	14	33	C.	Rochelle salt. Pot. iod, and colchicum and morphine
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MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE, 99° TO 99.5°.

			Norn	AAL TE	MPERATURE,	MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE, 99° TO 99.5°.							
	D	uration :		dis-				Duratio	n:				
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	21 days	Days.	Days.	C.	Pot. iod. and colchicum.	12	4 days	3	3	5	C.	Salicylic acid	
	2 years 3 months	23 12	59 12	C.	Potassium iodide. Iron and nux vomica.	3	4 months.	3 49	4	3 54	C.	Salicylic acid. Pet. iod. and colchicum and iron.	
107	5 days	II	12		Potassium iodide and colchicum.	4 5	21 days 35 days	3	I	54 56 16	C. C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid and iodine locally. Po-	
109	5 months	25 9	26 11	C. C. C. C.	Potassium iodide and colchicum. Potassium iod. and colchicum and ice.							tassium iodide and colchicum.	
	5 days	37	5 37	C. C.	Potassium iodide and cinchona. Pot. iod. and colch. and ice and morph.	6	21 days	15	3	18	C. C.	Salicylic acid.	
112	4 days	37 28 22	37	C. I.	Pot. iod. and colchicum. Pot. iod. and colch., ice and bandage.	7 8 9	6 months.	5 28	2	37 39	C.	Salicylic acid. Rochelle salt and quinine and iron;	
	28 days	7 ^I	57 71	Died.	Tr. cimicifugæ.						I.	iodine locally. Rochelle salt.	
115	io days	22	23	C. C. C.	Potassium iodide. Potassium iodide and colchicum.	10	14 days 56 days			11	C.	Rochelle salt.	
117	30 days 60 days	19	48	C.	Potassium iodide. Potassium iodide and blisters.	12	28 days		1.	3	I. C.	Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. and colch. Salicylic acid.	
119	49 days	42	42	I. C.	Pot. iod and cinchona. Rochelle salt.		6 days	2	I	7	C. C.	Salicylic acid.	
120	60 days	57 E	73 16	C.	Potassium iodide and colchicum. Lead and opium, and morphine and bel-								
722	4 days	23	23	I.	ladonna locally. Potassium iodide and colchicum.			MA	XIMUM	Темрі	RRATUE	RE, 99.5° TO 100°.	
123		47	83	C. I.	Potassium iodide and colchicum.		_				_		
	4 years				Pot. iod. and colch. and blisters and electricity.	1 2	9 days		1 2	9 5 116	I. C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.	
	30 days	47	47 18	I. C.	Pot. iod. and colchicum and blisters. Quinine.	3	7 days	75	11		Ĉ. Ç.	Salicylic acid and iodine and blisters.	
127	ı year	68	68	I.	Potassium iodide. Pot. iod. and colch. and cold. Propyla-	5 6	5 days 28 days	25		30	Č.	Salicylic acid. Potassium iodide and salicylic acid.	
128	21 days	181	181	1.	mine. Rochelle salt. Iron and quin. Pot. iod. and colch. and iodine locally.		5 days 7 days	28	4 4	43	I. C. C. C.	Salicylic acid and iodine locally. Salicylic acid.	
120	6 months	21	125	1.	Pot, iod, and colch. Pot iod, and iron.	7 8	14 days	4		4	I. I.	Rochelle salt.	
130	7 days	13	14	C. C.	Rochelle salt. Pot. iod. and colchicum. Rochelle salt and morphine. Pot. iod.	9	9 months.	28		32	C.	Rochelle salt. Rochelle salt. Pot. iod. and colch.	
132	5 days	50	65	C.	Rochelle salt	11	7 days	26	II	32 33	Died.	Potassium iodide and colchicum. Quinine and douche.	
133	35 days	69	69	C.	Pot. iod. and quinine. Iron and quin- ine. Colchicum. Iron and quinine	13	7 days 28 days	2	I	2	C. C. C.	Salicylic acid.	
	of down	18	18	C.	and pot. bitart. Potassium iodide and colchicum.	14	30 days	17	I	17	C.	Salicylic acid and iodine locally. Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. Pot. iod.	
135	28 days		3	C.	None.		1					and colchicum.	
	36 days	75	99	C. C. C.	Potassium iodide. None.								
138	7 days		41	C. C.	Potassium iod. and colchicum.			MA	XIMUM	Темре	ERATUR	E, 100° TO 100.5°.	
140	3 months .	43	7 43	I.	Pot. iod. and colchicum and blisters.	1	17 days	T .		-	· ·	Salicylic acid.	
	35 days	4	4	C. I.	Potassium iodide and colchicum. Iron and quinine. Potassium iodide.	2	3 days	5		7	C.	Salicylic acid.	
143	6 months . 8 days	25	25 15	U. C.	Potassium iodide and colchicum. Potassium iodide and colchicum. Potassium iodide and colchicum.	3 4	60 days	97		20I 97	I.	Salicylic acid. Pot. acetate and	
145	5 days	15 32	12	C.	Potassium iodide.				1	,		iodine locally. Colchicum and opium. Mixed treatment. Guaiac.	
146	36 days	9	12	I. I.	Potassium iodide and colchicum. Rochelle salt and colchicum.	5	63 days		1	34	C.	Salicylic acid.	
148	60 days	19	19	I. I.	Tonics, and Fuller's lotion locally. Tonics, and Fuller's lotion locally.	6	5 days 6 days		4	16	C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.	
150	14 days	21	21	I. C.	Rochelle salt and Fuller's lotion locally.	7 8 9	10 days	6	6	15	C.	Salicylic acid. Iron and nux vomica. Not given.	
152	4 days	31	31	1.	Pot. bicarb. and Fuller's lotion locally. Rochelle salt.	10	7 days	53		7 84	00000000	Salicylic acid.	
153	5 days	18	18	C. I.	Rochelle salt. Potassium iodide.		12 days		2	74	C.	Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. and colch. and iodine local-	
155	10 days	13	22	C.	Rochelle salt and colchicum and Fuller's	13	30 days	30	I	50	I.	ly. Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.	
	14 days	96	96	I.	Rochelle salt.	14	8 days	29	16	29	I. C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.	
	21 days 30 days	50 18	50 39	C. C.	Pot. iod. and colch. Rochelle salt. Iron.		3 days	II	26	45	I	Salicylic acid.	
159	7 days	5 76	39 28 108	C. C.	None. Pot. iod. and colch. and Fuller's lotion	17	35 days	26	4	26	C. I.	Salicylic acid. Iron and digitalis and bandage.	
				C.	locally.	10	14 days 28 days	45	5	45 28	I.	Douche and friction and quinine. Rochelle salt.	
162	1 year	7 97	97	I.	Pot. iod. and colch. Potassium iodide.	21	14 days	10	5	12	C.	Rochelle salt.	
	1⅓ year	21	104	I.	Pot. iod. and colch. and Fuller's lotion locally.	23	7 days	5	20	31 5	C. I.	Iron. Salicylic acid.	
	7 months .	5	5	I. C.	Potassium iodide and colchicum. Potassium iodide and colchicum.	24	7 days	24	2 4	24 31	C.	Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. and colch. Salicylic acid.	
166	35 days	20	20	C.	None.	26	3 days 8 weeks .	14	I	14	C. C.	Pot. bicarb, and acet. Sal. acid.	
	14 days 28 days	25 112	25 112	C. I.	Potassium iodide and colchicum. Potassium iodide and iron and iodine.	28	21 days	1/1	2	16	C,	Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. and colch. Salicylic acid and iodine locally.	
169	60 days 35 days	32	32 92	C. C.	Potassium iodide and colchicum. Iron and quinine.		28 days		5	9 16	C. C.	Pot. iod. and colchicum. Salicylic acid.	
171	10 days	17	20 .	C.	Potassium iodide and colchicum.		13>						
172	60 days	18	81	C. I. C.	Sodæ bicarb. and blisters. Salicylic acid and iodine and blisters.			3.6		TP			
174	35 days 81 days	15 54	15 54	C. I.	Salicylic acid. Hot douche.			IVIA	XIMUM	I EMPE	RATUR	E, 100.5° TO 101°.	
176	21 days	25	25	I.	Salicylic acid and blisters.	1		5	6	27	C.	Salicylic acid.	
177	10 days	21	42	C.	Salicylic acid and morphine. Pot. iod. and cinchona.	2	4 days 28 days	10		30	C. C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid. Iodine. Mixed tr.	
178	14 days	12	4I I9	C. I.	Salicylic acid and iron. Iron and nux vomica and iodine locally.	3	7 days	I	7 8	27	C.	Salicylic acid.	
180	14 days	7	100	Î. C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid and iron and nux vomica.	5	3 days	2	8	28	C. C.	Potassium iodide and acetate, Salicylic acid.	
181	36 days	13	17		Potassium iodide and colchicum.	7 8	3 days		2	18	I. C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.	
182	42 days	42	42	C.	Salicylic acid and blisters and iodine. Potassium iodide and colchicum.	9	30 days	4 74	7	13	C.	Salicylic acid.	
	6 days	18	21	C.	Salieylic acid. Pot. iod. and colch.		14 days	3 9	2	17	C. I.	Salicylic acid. Potassium iodide.	
185	3 days	3 5	31	C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.		5 days	67		77	Ĉ.	Rochelle salt and quinine and poul- tices. Pot, carb. Pot. iod. and	
186	4 days	7 4	7 4	C. C. C.	Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. and colch. Salicylic acid.		6 3				0	colch. and cimicifuga.	
188	3 months .	II	11	C. C.	Iron and nux vomica.	13	6 days 7 days	17	9	30	C. C.	Salicylic acid and sod. bicarb. Salicylic acid.	
	14 days	31	39		Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. and iodine lo- cally and blisters.			21		21	I. I.	Salicylic acid. Guaiac. Salicylic acid and blisters and iodine.	
191	14 days	6 38	8 28	C. C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid and blisters.						I. C.	Sod. bicarb.	
192	7 months .	28	18	I.	Potassium iodide and colchicum.	17	2 days	44	2	47	C.	Salicylic acid and iron. Pot. iod. and colchicum and iodine.	
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MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE, 101° TO 101.5°.

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1	7 days	indys.	1	27	C.	Salicylic acid and iodine locally. Salicylic acid and iodine locally.
3 4	14 days	16) 7	3	34 100	1.000.0000	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.
6	7 days	1	7	1 ,	C.	Salicylic acid.
7	ı day 21 days	13	· .	4.5 1.5	C. C.	Salicylic acid and muriate of ammon. Salicylic acid.
1	2t days 7 days	30	3 0 0	5	C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.
11	28 days	35	2	fix:	1.	Salicylic acid. Pot.iod. and colch. Salicylic acid and iodine locally.
0 q	4 days	16	15	49	C. C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.
1/1	t4 days . 4 months	63	24	34	i.	Salicylic acid. Rochelle salt. Salicylic acid. Potassium carb.
17	5 months 3 months	31	4	1.4 3.1	C. I.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid and iodine locally.
1,	28 days	110	7	35 19	I. C.	Iron and nux vom. and todine locally. Rochelle salt.
21	t4 days t4 days	26	3	26	C.	Pot. iod. and colchicum.
21	3 days	9	7	9	1.1.001.001.00 00001.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.
24	2 days 6 days 4 days	24 H	16	24	C.	Salicylic acid. Alkaline mixture. Salicylic acid.
21	4 days	26	14	26	1.	Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. Guaiac, and blister locally. Pot. iod. and
27	8 days	-27	3	11	C.	Salicylic acid. Iron and nux vom.
25 29	to days 60 days	29	1	21	C. C. C.	Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. and colch.
.,	3 days	16	3	17	C. C.	and iodine. Salicylic acid.
71	10 days	15	-11	38	C.	Rochelle salt.
		Ma	MUMIX	Темре	RATUR	E, 101.5° TO 102°.
1	4 days	25	3	27 8	C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid and iodine locally.
3 4	5 days 21 days	9	3 1	39	C. C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.
5	3 days	22	() I	27 1 ;	C.	Salicylic acid.
7 &	7 days	17	17	70	00000000000	Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. and colch. Salicylic acid.
9	4 days 7 days	72	6	72	C.	Mixed treatment. Rochelle salt.
3 1	sı days	26	15	26	C.	Soda and iron. Pot. acetat. and ammonia acetat.
12	3 days	3	4	11	C. C.	Quinine and iodine locally. Sod. sal. and Fuller's lotion locally.
14	15 days		1.2	92		Rochelle salt. Pot. iod. and coich. Rochelle salt.
14	3 days	95	3	95	C. C.	Rochelle salt and anodynes. Sod. bicarb. and quinine.
17	5 days 7 days	12	3 2	12 26	C.	Salicylic acid, and blisters locally. Salicylic acid.
16	10 days	18	4	18	C.	Pot. iod. and colch.
		MA	XIMUM	Темре	RATUR	E, 102° TO 102.5°.
1 2	6 days so days	10	3	16	C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.
3	21 days 35 days	50	4 27 6	53	1.	Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. and acetat.
4 5	9 days 4 months.	23	20	33	I.	Potassium iodide. Potassium iodide and colchicum.
7 8	5 days 35 days	7 5	5 2 21	35	I. I. C. C. C. C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.
9	3 days 8 days	15	3	· (.	C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.
1 1 1	6 days	4 4	4	33	C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid. Rochelle salt, and
1.	35 days	139	45	139	C	odine and douche. Salicylic acid.
14	7 days	85		88	C. I.	Rochelle salt. Pot. and colch.
10	14 days		21	69 38	C. C. C. C. C. C. C. C.	Atropine, Quinine, Rochelle salt. Pot, acetate and digitalis, Quinine and belladonna.
17	3 days 6 days	9	3 2	10	C. C.	Pot. iod. and colch. Rochelle salt. Rochelle salt and Tully's powder noct.
19 20	17 days 21 days	1.5	6	10	C.	Ice locally. Salicylic acid
21	11 weeks .		100	22	C.	Salicylic acid. Potass. bicarb. and
22	3 days	4	3	14	C.	Salicylic acid and iodine locally. Pot. iod. and colch. Iron and nux vomica.
2,	6 days	4	3	2.3	C.	Salicylic acid. Iron and nux vom., and iodine locally.
24	30 days		3	36	C.	Salicylic acid. Iron. Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. Sod. salicylate. Blisters and iodine locally.
-	, 02,50				ĮĒ.	Pot, and colch. Lead and opium
26	at days	5.2	22	52	C.	Salievlic acid. Pot. bicarb. Sali-
				1		cylic acid. Pot. iod. and colch.

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	MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE, 102.5° TO 103°.										
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		Days.	Days.	Days.							
2		7 20	12.3	27	C. I.	Salicylic acid. Sal, acid. Quinine. Mixed treatm't.					
3		27	27	- î	U. C.	Pot. citrate and lemon juice. Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.					
	1 day	3	3 2	17	I. C.	Pot. carbonate. Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.					
7	5 days 7 days	5 29	3	19	I. C. C.	Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. Rochelle salt. Dil. sul-					
9		1	9	14	C.	Phuric acid. Ergot. Dover's powder. Salicylic					
11		25	7	25	C.	acid, and cotton and oil silk locally. Rochelle salt and starch diet. Atropine.					
10	5 days	28	6	21	C. C. C.	Atropine. Rochelle salt and Tully's powder					
*0						ly. Pot. and colch. Colch.					
14		88	6	21 88	C. U.	Pot. iod. and colch. Salicylic, and blisters locally. Pot. iod. and colch. and blisters locally. Sod. bicarb. Ice locally. Blis-					
16		56	4	56	I. C.	ters. Muriate of ammonia. Blisters. Salicylic, and iodine locally. Pot.					
17		6 27	5	27	C.	iod. and colch. Quinine, and iodine locally and lead					
			_			and opium locally, and blisters and hot douche.					
26		17	15	31	C. Died.	Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. and colch.					
ī		Ma	MINITE	Темен	DATIE	E, 103° TO 103.5°.					
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3	7 days	11 40	3 4 12	13	C.	Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid. Salicylic acid.					
4	21 days	16	6	17	C. C. C. C. C. C.	Pot. iod. and colch. Salicylic acid. Rochelle salt. Salicylic acid.					
i	9 days	81	7	84		Rochelle salt. Pot. iodide. Sulphuric acid.					
2	14 days 14 days	17 80	6	22 80	C. I.	Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. and colch. and cotton and oil silk locally. Rochelle salt and blisters.					
10	6 days	8	13	33 57	C. C.	Rochelle salt and starch diet.					
11	14 days	48 7 10	12	7 10	C. C. C.	Quinine and digitalis. Iron. Extra diet. Salicylic acid and iron.					
-		MA	XIMUM	TEMPE		s, 103.5° TO 104°.					
1		500	5	57	C.	Ammonia carb. and muriate. Pot. carb. Salicylic acid. Pot. carb. Salicylic acid.					
5	2 days	53 15	9 5	84 15	C. C. C.	Salicylic acid. Atropine, and oil silk locally. Rochelle salt and quinine, and Ful-					
4	unys .	* 5	3			ler's lotion locally. Pot. carb. and opium.					
			II	18	C.	Rochelle salt. Pot. iod, and iodine locally. Atropine and milk diet.					
	8 days	46	5	18	C. C.	Rochelle salt.					
4		38	12	48	Died. C.	Pot. iod. and colch. Opium. Rochelle salt and morphine and qui- nine, and Fuller's lotion locally. Rochelle salt. Tully's powder and					
10	7 days	23	7	23	C.	Rochelle salt. Tully's powder and Fuller's lotion.					
1:	4	31	29	79 99	C.	Fuller's lotion. Pot. iod. and colch. Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. and colch.					
						Iron. Sodæ salicylate. Pot. ace- tate. Pot. carb. Iron.					
		Ma	XIMUM	Темре	RATUR	E, 104° TO 104.5°.					
-	12 days		13	35		Salicylic acid.					
1	7 days	48	13	55 31	C. C. C. C.	Salicylic acid.					
	3 days	36	7	47 42	C.	Sulphuric acid. Salicylic acid. Pot. iod. and carb.					
		11	7	13	C. C.	Atropine and Dover's powder. Quinine and iron and morphine.					
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	7 days		34	47	C.	Rochelle and Dover's powder and muriate of ammonia (104.75°).					
		11	11	46	Died.	Atropine and Dover's powder. Qui-					
	3 days	35	7	40	C.	nine and cold pack (107.2°). Salicylic acid. Sodæ salicylatel iodine locally (106.1°).					
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TABLE 1...—Comparison of the results in the treatment of rheumatism by different drugs, presenting duration of joint symptoms before and after entering hospital, of pyresia after entering hospital, and of stay in hospital, arranged according to various methods of treatment, and subdivided according to maximum temperature, designed to show the comparative value of the different methods of treatment. All these are cases which left the hospital cured.

Miscellaneous.1	The second secon	Treatment.		Pot. iod. and colch. Salicylic acid. Rochelle salt. Salicyle acid. Rochelle salt. Salicyle acid. Pot. iod. and colch. Salicyle acid. Scoth. Pot. iod. and opium and strych. Roch. Pot. iod. and opium and aconice. Pot. iod. and colch. Roschelle. Rochelle. Pot. iod. and colchi um. Rockelle. Pot. iod. and duinine. Colch. Iron and quin. Iron and quinine. Colch. Iron and quin. Rochelle. Nome. Nome. Nome. Pot. soid and sales and mixed freatment. Pot. soid and soid ion. Outline and iron. Quinine and iron. Quinine and iron. Quinine and iron. Quinine and iron. Local treatment only. Local treatment only. Local treatment only.		
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The slight discrepancies in the number of cases employed in estimating the total duration of the various items, in the preceding tables, when occurring with the same temperature, and under the same treatment, are due to the fact that one or other of the items were omitted in the histories of the cases recorded in the case books of the hospital; this occurred, however, in but very few instances.

The preceding tables include 271 cases of cure. Of

these-

Salicylic acid alone was employed in	113	cases
Rochelle salt alone in		6.6
Potassic iodide alone in	14	6.6
Pot. iodide and colch. alone in	31	6.6
Sal. acid and pot. iod. and colch. in	18	6.6
Atropia, 120 gr. t.i.d., hypoder. in	8	6.6
Miscellaneous remedies in	66	h 6
Total	27T	6.6

Comparing the averages obtained from the preceding table there results the following résumé:

TABLE N.

Treatment.	Average duration of joint symptoms before entering hospital.	Number of cases.	Average duration of joint symptoms after entering hospital.	Number of cases.	Average duration of pyrevia after admis-	Number of cases.	Average duration of stay in hospital.	Number of cases.
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The average duration of the joint symptoms before admission to the hospital is included in these tables, because this item considerably influences the results of treatment; a subacute case of considerable duration before treatment was begun, being notably much more difficult to cure and obstinate than a recent and acute case.

The average duration of the stay in the hospital is given, because some English observers claim that although salicylic acid may diminish the duration of the acute joint symptoms, and of the pyrexia, that the actual length of time before the patient is fully restored, and is fit to be discharged from the hospital, is no less than when other remedies are employed.

In calculating the length of time during which the patient remained in the hospital, in a few cases in which, after the patient was completely well, he or she was retained in the employment of the hospital, such additional time after complete restoration has not been counted.

In the treatment by salicylic acid, and by iodide of potassium with wine of colchicum successively, the former was used at the commencement of treatment and replaced by the latter after a time, especially when the disease improved slowly, and where it showed any tendency to become subacute or chronic.

Under the treatment by iodide of potassium, and by this drug with colchicum, no average duration of pyrexia is given, since in only one case treated by these remedies was there any elevation of temperature; these methods of treatment having been employed mostly in subacute and chronic cases, or when they showed a ten-

¹ Under this heading are those cases in which either a great many different drugs were employed, or in which a certain drug was employed in so few cases that the number was not sufficient for statistics.

dency to lapse into these forms. This accounts also for the fact that the average duration of joint symptoms before entrance to hospital, under the subdivisions of these

two methods of treatment, is great.

On consulting Table N, on the preceding page, containing a résumé of the average results, we find that although there is little difference in the average duration of joint symptoms after entrance to hospital, under all the other methods of treatment (ranging between twenty-one and twenty-seven days), yet with the use of salicylic acid these symptoms lasted about one-half as long (twelve and

a half days).

Again, in considering the duration of the pyrexia, we find that after the use of salicylic acid it was considerably less than when any other method of treatment was employed. An apparent contradiction to this statement exists in the fact that, under the head of treatment by salicylic acid and iodide of potassium with colchicum, used successively, the duration of the pyrexia is less than in the average of those cases in which salicylic acid was employed alone; but the credit of this short duration of elevation of temperature belongs to the salicylic acid and not to the iodide of potassium and wine of colchicum, since the former drug was employed first, and in all cases for a longer period than the average duration of the pyrexia.

The average stay in the hospital was less, also, with treatment by salicylic acid than by any other treat

These facts would indicate an immense advantage in the employment of salicylic acid for the cure of rheuma-

But an objection might be made to this statement, or rather such a conclusion, and very properly too, that it is not fair to compare the results obtained by averaging the duration of the various items, in a large number of cases, without any regard to the severity of the disease; thus we find, that while salicylic acid was employed, in most instances, in acute cases, and in a proportionately small number of subacute or chronic cases. the other remedies were employed in a much larger proportion of the latter variety of cases; and these, being undoubtedly more obstinate, a comparison of the results

as per Table N, is not entirely proper or just.

To obviate this Table L is designed; here only cases of equal severity are compared; and whenever the number of cases under any subdivision is large enough, the showing of salicylic acid is always better than that of any other remedy. Even such comparisons may be objected to as not being comparisons of cases of exactly the same severity, since the maximum temperature only is taken as a measure of their severity. Certainly the maximum temperature is no absolute guide to the severity of an attack of rheumatism, but it is a fair indication, and is the only one of the symptoms which can be expressed by figures, there being no way of comparing the degree of local manifestations, especially since pain is merely relative.

UNPLEASANT EFFECTS FOLLOWING THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE VARIOUS REMEDIES USED IN THE TREATMENT OF RHEUMATISM.

On consulting the following table (O), it will be seen that disagreeable effects followed the combined use of iodide of potassium and wine of colchicum in a greater percentage of cases than after the use of any of the other

Then next in frequency comes salicylic acid given in solution, while this same drug, given in capsules, caused disagreeable effects in comparatively few cases, only eight per cent., while in solution the percentage was 2125, almost three times as great. This was due to the frequency with which nausea and vomiting were excited when the drug was given in solution.

TABLE O.—Exhibiting proportion of cases in which there were "Iodism," "Salicylism," etc.—400 cases.

			Remedie	s.				
Symptoms.	Salicylic acid in capsules.	Salicylic acid in solution.	Iodide of Po- tassium.	Iodide of Po- tassium and Wine of Col- chicum.	Rochelle salt.	Total cases.		
Delirium	3 cases. Dose, gr. x. to xv. every 2 h.					3		
Headache			Dose, gr.	3 cases. Dose, gr. xvxx, aa t.i.d.		4		
Vertigo		Dose, gr. x. q. 2 hrs.	······	Dose, gr. xxx. aa t.i.d.		2		
Tinnitus aurium	3 cases. Dose,gr. x, q. 2 hrs.				.,,,,,,,,,,	3		
Coryza			Dose, gr.			1		
Nausea and vomiting.	Dose, gr.	8 cases. Dose, gr. x. q. 2 hrs.	,	7 cases. Dose, gr. xxx. aā t.i.d.	z case. Dose, 3 j. t.i.d.	21		
Diarrhœa	Dose, gr.		Dose, gr. v. t.i.d.	6 cases. Dose, gr. xxx.t.i.d.	2 cases. Dose, 3 j. t.i.d.	10		
Acne	. ,		2 cases. Dose, gr. x. q. 3 hrs.	4 cases. Dose, gr. x. āā t.i.d.	,	6		
Total	12 cases.	9 cases.	5 cases.	21 cases.	3 cases.	50		
Number of cases in which remedy was employed	150	42	47	92	69	400		
Percentage of cases in which disagree- able symptoms were developed	8 %.	212/5%	10%%	221/4%	4130	124 %		

Since the resulting disagreeable effects are greatly lessened by giving this drug in capsules, it becomes a matter of interest whether it is as efficacious in the cure of rheumatism, when given in solution, as it is when administered in capsules.

The following table (P) shows that there was little difference in the results of the administration of the drug, in solution and in capsules, respectively.

TABLE P .- Relative efficacy of salicylic acid given in solution and in capsules.

SALICYLIC ACID IN SOLUTION. Duration Duration of joint symptoms after enter-Duration of joint Duration symptoms symptoms before enter-ing hospital. ing hospital of stay in hospital. Total number of days 867 805 26.833 Average number of days... 28.9 6.777 SALICYLIC ACID IN CAPSULES Total number of days 1,020 1,112 1,996 Average number of days ... 12.75 13.397 4.316 24.048 SALICYLIC ACID, BOTH IN SOLUTION AND IN CAPSULES. Total number of days..... 1,887 2,801 1,407 78 4.884 Average number of days ... 17.172 12.451 24.787

COMPLICATIONS OF RHEUMATISM.

It has been impossible in these statistics to give tables showing the comparative liability to complications, especially those of the heart and pericardium, with different methods of treatment, since, as a rule, the cases had

Table Q gives the nature of the complications. Of the 400 cases there were 144 which were complicated; but these 144 complicated cases presented 204 separate lesions, since in many of the cases two or more valvular lesions of the heart existed, and in others there was, in the same case, both a cardiac and some other complica-

Hence, the first line in the succeeding table represents the number of complicated cases; and where two lesions complicate the same case the second one is put on the second line, so that the first and second lines together represent the number of complicating lesions.

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Summary.

Cases of rheumatism with complications, first attack, 70 in 107 = 35½ per cent.

Cases of rheumatism with complications, second or more attack, 74 in 203 = 36 per cent.

Cases of rheumatism with complications, all attacks, 144 in 400 = 36 per cent.

In the 70 cases of complications with first attack 63, or 90 per cent, were cardiac.

In the 144 cases of complications with all attacks, 127, or 88 per cent, were cardiac.

In the 197 cases of complications with all attacks, 127, or 88 per cent, were cardiac.

In the 297 cases of rheumatism, first attack, 63, or 32 per cent, were complicated by heart lesions.

In the 203 cases of rheumatism, second or more attack, 64, or 31½ per cent, were complicated by heart lesions.

In the 400 cases of rheumatism, all attacks, 127, or 31½ per cent, were complicated by heart lesions.

In the 96 cases of separate complications, first attack, 86, or 89% per cent., were cardiac. In the 108 cases of separate complications, second or more attack, 91, or 84 1/2 per

cent., were cardiac.

In the 204 cases of separate complications, all attacks, 177, or 87% per cent., were cardiac.

Of the 204 cases of separate complications 177 were of the heart and pericardium. Of these 177 cases of separate complications there were-Valvular, 146; pericardial, 25; neuroses, 6.

In these 146 cases of valvular murmurs, 124 were of sufficient distinctness to be located, and their relation to the sounds of the heart ascertained. Table R shows the relative frequency of these murmurs.

TABLE R.—Showing relative frequency of cardiac valvular lesions in one hundred and twenty-four cases in which the murmurs were exactly defined.

Mitral insufficiency	60 cases. 51 66 7 66 66	48.4 per cent. 41.2 ** 5.6 ** 4.8 **
Total	124 cases.	100 per cent.

TABLE S .- Frequency of association of two or more cardiac lesions.

	Aortic stenosis	Aortic regurgi- tation.	Mitral stenosis.	Mitral regurgi- tation.	Aortic stenosis and regurgi- tation,	Aortic murmur.	Pericardial friction murmur.
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SUMMARY

In the 127 cases of cardiac complication, 38 had two or more associated cardiac

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	Mitral regurgitant and mitral stenosis	3
	Mitral regurgitant, aortic stenosis and regurgitant	2
	Pericarditis, aortic stenosis and regurgitant	2
	Pericarditis and mitral regurgitant	3
	Pericarditis and aortic stenosis	2
	Aortic murmur and mitral regurgitant	3
	Aortic and mitral murmur	2
	Pericardial friction murmur and aortic stenosis	2
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	Pericardial friction murmur and aortic stenosis and regurgitant	X
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	Total	28

TABLE T .- Showing liability to heart complications with rheumatism at different ages.

Age.	Number of cases of cardiac complications.	Number of cases of first attack of rheumatism.	Percentage of cardiac complications.
o to 15 years	x	2 28	50 per cent.
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Total	63	199	******

In the above table only cases of first attack have been considered, for the reason that, since most of the cardiac complications were found to exist at the time when the patients entered the hospital, in those cases which had previously suffered from rheumatism it would be impossible to tell with which attack, and hence at what age the cardiac lesions had developed.

Even in the cases of first attack it is possible for the cardiac lesion to have existed previously, though the patient denied any previous attack of rheumatism; but this does not occur frequently enough to materially alter the results of Table T. From this table it is seen that the greatest proportionate development of cardiac lesions with first attacks of rheumatism is between the ages of ten and thirty years—in young persons. This is independent of the greater frequency of attacks of rheumatism in the young.

tism in the young.

Table U shows the relation of liability to cardiac complications to the severity of the attack, as indicated by

the maximum temperature attained.

Table U.—Showing relative liability to cardiac complications with attacks of different severity.

Maximum temperature.	No. of cases of heart complication.	No. of cases of first attack of rheumatism.	Percentage of cases with heart complication.
Normal	15	93	16 per cent.
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01° to 101.5°	7	14	50 "
01.5° to 102°	4	6	67 "
02° to 102.5°	6	14	43
02.5° to 103°	4	13	31 "
03° to 103.5°	3	7	43 "
03.5° to 104°	4	8	50 "
04° to 104.5°	4	4	100 44
C4.75°		**	*******
05.50	I	I	100
07.29	I	1	100 66
	64	200	

In this, as in the preceding table, only cases of first attack of rheumatism have been considered, for the same reasons as those already given. The result of this table shows that while those cases, in which there was no rise of temperature, were most exempt, the degree of rise of temperature in the other cases seems to have influenced very little the liability to cardiac complications.

TABLE W .- Relapses.

No. of cases.	Time after ces- sation of joint symptoms.	Duration of re- lapse.	Treatment of relapse.	No. of cases.	Time after ces- sation of joint symptoms.	Duration of re- lapse.	Treatment of relapse.
1	Days. 11 6 4 4 10 6 11 5 6 11 15 19 8 7 10 5 4 2 8 4 2 8 4 2 8 6 8 6 8	Days. 7 14 67 3 4 2 5 13 14 18 8 11 7 7 2 40 5 4 15 4 15 4 11 4 11 2 *	66	23	Days. 5 9 15 10 1 38* 4 13 3 18 10 14 20 11 14 4 31 17 389	Days. 3 13 78 5 4 5 6 7 17 5 21 63 36 1 7 4 2 720	Salicylic acid. """""""""""""""""""""""""""""""""""
22	T	10	66	Average	9.046	16.744	

Relapses occurred in 43 cases (while in hospital). Percentage of cases in which relapses occurred while in hospital, 10\frac{3}{4} per cent. There were not a sufficient number of cases which remained in the hospital any length of time after being cured to furnish tables, showing the liability to relapses, with or after the various methods of treatment.

^{*} After end of first relapse.



